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**Acting Administrative Director Declares Illinois Associate Judge
Appointed in the Seventh Judicial Circuit**

Michael J. Tardy, Acting Director of the Administrative Office of the Illinois Courts, announced today that Jeffery E. Tobin, received a majority of the votes cast by the circuit judges in the Seventh Judicial Circuit and is declared to be appointed to the office of associate judge.

Mr. Tobin received his undergraduate degree in 1983 from the Illinois College in Jacksonville, Illinois and his Juris Doctor in 1987 from Cooley Law School in Lansing, Michigan. Mr. Tobin is currently affiliated with the Illinois Workers Compensation Commission in Chicago, Illinois.